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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor: Nicolas Boisbouvier et al.  
Application No.: 10/530,336  
Filed: November 10, 2006  
Title: Method of Producing a Photonic Bandgap Structure on a Microwave Device and Slot-Type Antennas Employing One Such Structure  
Examiner: Tan Ho  
Art Unit: 2821

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

In response to the office action dated May 3, 2007, for which a shortened statutory period of three months for response ending August 3, 2007, was set in which to respond and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a three-month extension, ending November 3, 2007, is hereby requested, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully submitted.

Please charge the required fee of one thousand fifty dollars (\$1050.00) for extending the time for a response within the third month after the original response date, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b) to Deposit Account 07-0832.

The Applicants submit that in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing, this response is timely.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on Page 2 of this paper. 10/29/2007 MGBREM1 00000064 070832 10530336

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